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Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the Substitute Specification as follows:

On page 5, please replace the second and third paragraphs (that include the descriptions of Figs. 9 and 10) with the following paragraphs:

--Fig. 9 is a sectional view taken along a section line IX-IX in Fig. 8; and

Fig. 10 is an enlarged sectional view showing a part of Fig. 9; 9; and